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TITLE OF JUNIOR MISS TO BE WON AT PAGEANT



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EIGHT GIRLS, pictured above, will be competing for Junior Miss of the Porterville community in a Porterville Jaycee-sponsored pageant Friday evening in the Memorial auditorium; curtain time is 8 p.m.; there is no admission charge. Winner of the Porterville title will receive a \$300 scholarship and a chance to compete at Santa Rosa, February 2, 1975, for California Junior Miss, with state winner to compete for the national title. Runnerup at Porterville receives a \$200 scholarship; second runnerup, \$100. Providing music for the Junior Miss Pageant will be the Monache Stage band, directed by Dale Anderson; master of ceremonies will be Cliff Clark. Judging will be based on: Interview prior to pageant, 35%; talent, 20%; scholastic record, physical fitness and poise and appearance, 15% each. On the Porterville Jaycee Junior Miss Pageant committee are: Gary Wallace, chairman; Mike Lady, Jay Salazar, and Barry Rundstrum; Jaycee president is Chuck Howell.



JACK SMITH

Banding Together for Patriotism

We went to a patriotic celebration Sunday in the Coliseum, and if my faith in the institution I believe in had been wavering, it was restored, especially in the last two minutes.

My wife isn't crazy about events of this kind, but our Italian daughter-in-law had given me two tickets for my birthday, knowing my sentiments, and I thought it was something we ought to experience together.

It turned out to be one of those gaudy pageants with a cast of hundreds, the kind of homemade spectacle that used to be recognized as great entertainment until television came along and corrupted the nation's taste.

It was a celebration of America's Bicentennial, and if we have many more like this one as warm-ups, I don't know what there will be left to do when 1976 comes except to reenact the Revolutionary War with live ammunition.

The main body of the cast was the Porterville High School Band and its female auxiliary, supported by the Santa Barbara High School Band, with its auxiliary in black gaucho pants and don hats, and the Pioneer High School drill team of about 100 girls in short white pleated skirts, white boots and cowboy hats.

If anyone in the crowd had any dismal notion that feminism is debasing the brood stock of our nation, their fears would have been vanquished by those platoons of nubile girls, plump thighs flashing as they marched smartly over the field to the strains of "God Bless America." If we were to believe the feminist press, there aren't that many patriotic marching girls left in the country.

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The pageant ran swiftly through the great
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CORRECTION: The Santa Barbara High School band did the pre-game show but was not involved in the Panther band's half-time spectacular.

Panther Band Show

By Bill Rodgers

Brilliantly clear skies. Warm sunshine. More than 90,000 people in the Los Angeles Coliseum.

That was the setting for Buck Shaffer and the Porterville High School Panther band when they moved onto the Coliseum floor last Sunday to do a halftime show for the Los Angeles Rams-Minnesota Vikings football game.

The show, "The Spirit Of '76," carried a patriotic theme through seven major scenes - a Pilgrim church, the American Melting Pot, Pioneers in the West, signing of the Declaration of Independence, the Civil War, Thanksgiving, and a finale built around W-I-N featuring the entire cast of some 620 people, and 20 prop girls, plus 92 trombonists who joined the band to rock the Coliseum with Merideth Wilson's "76 Trombones."

In the finale also was a very sharp drill team of 100 girls from Pioneer High school in Whittier, along with 100

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PIONEER WATER ANNUAL MEETING NEXT MONDAY

PORTERVILLE - Annual meeting of stockholders and directors of the historic Pioneer Water company will be held in the Porterville city hall next Monday night at 7:30 p.m. with Board President R.J. Owen Jr. reporting on progress during the past year.

Directors will be elected by stockholders for the coming year, then directors will elect their board officers. Serving with Owen now are: R.F. Gauger, vice president; R.E. Hawkins, treasurer; C.G. Van Lente, secretary; and John Bulk, water superintendent. Company secretary is Mrs. Irma McArdle.

In a printed report to stockholders from directors, it is stated that during the 1974 year an interest-free federal loan was reinstated and the piping of ditches in the Pioneer system was continued under a contract with Reed Trenching, of Modesto.

During April, a section from Crestview to a point just north of Mulberry avenue was completed - a distance of 7,475 feet. After suspension of work during the irrigation season, piping operations again got underway in late October, with completion of the Patterson branch, ending at Henderson avenue and Fourth street, expected by the first of the year.

Agreement has been worked out with the Tulare County Flood Control district to share

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OSHA WORKSHOP ON AGRICULTURE

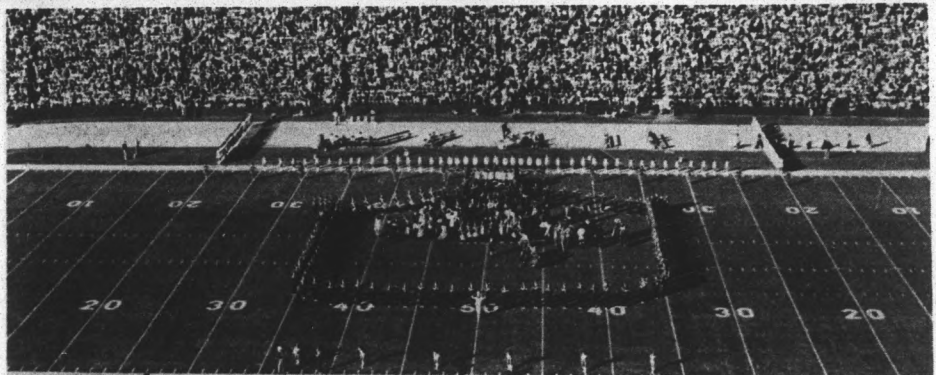
A public workshop on OSHA regulations as related to agriculture will be held Tuesday, December 3 in the County Agriculture building, Visalia, from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. The meeting is being held under direction of the Division of Industrial Safety, Department of Industrial Relations, and the Agriculture and Services Agency of the State of California.



WE COMMITTED ourselves sometime ago to put a picture of the Horseshoe Benders Band on page 1 when the band made the big time. Looks like they did just that when they entertained members of the Ram Boosters' club at Rudi's in Los Angeles following Sunday's Ram-Minnesota football game. From left, Richard Ogle and Clyde Slusser, both members of the Panther band, and "Hoss" McNutt, who played the part of a Pilgrim in the Panther Band Halftime show.

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Ford would reduce Canadian exports of these products to the United States by about two-thirds, according to the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

The president imposed quotas on live cattle and swine, beef, veal, and pork from Canada for one year retroactive to Aug. 12, the date the Canadians imposed quotas on imports of beef, veal

and live cattle for slaughter.

The president's action, designed to get removal of the Canadian quotas, was taken under provisions of the Trade Expansion Act of 1962.

Cotton is being ricked in the field in the San Joaquin valley as picking is running ahead of gin capacity.

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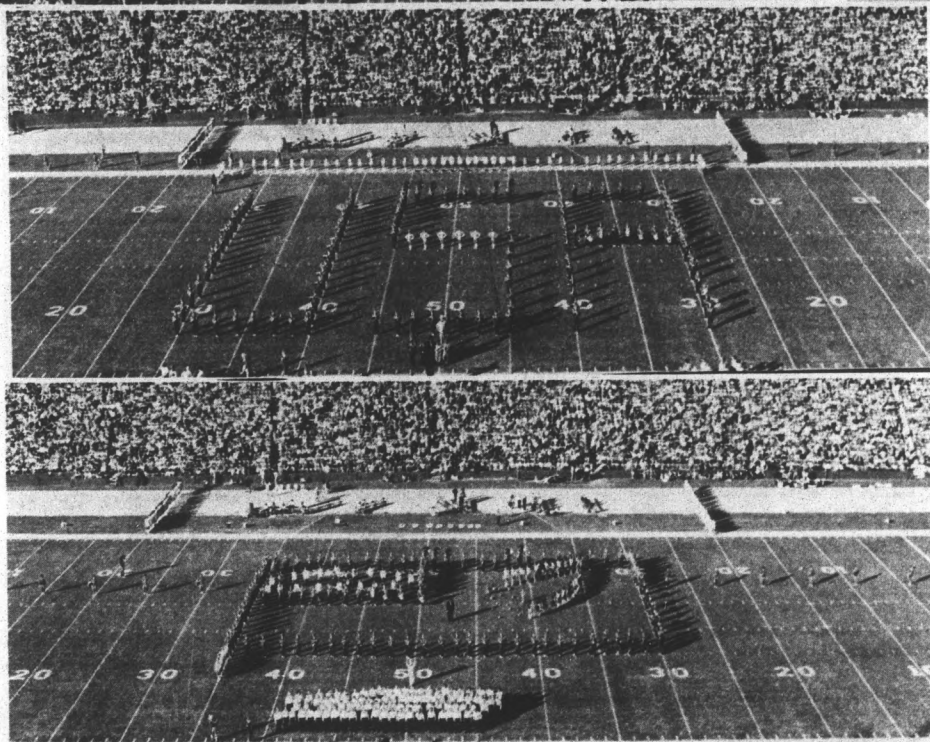
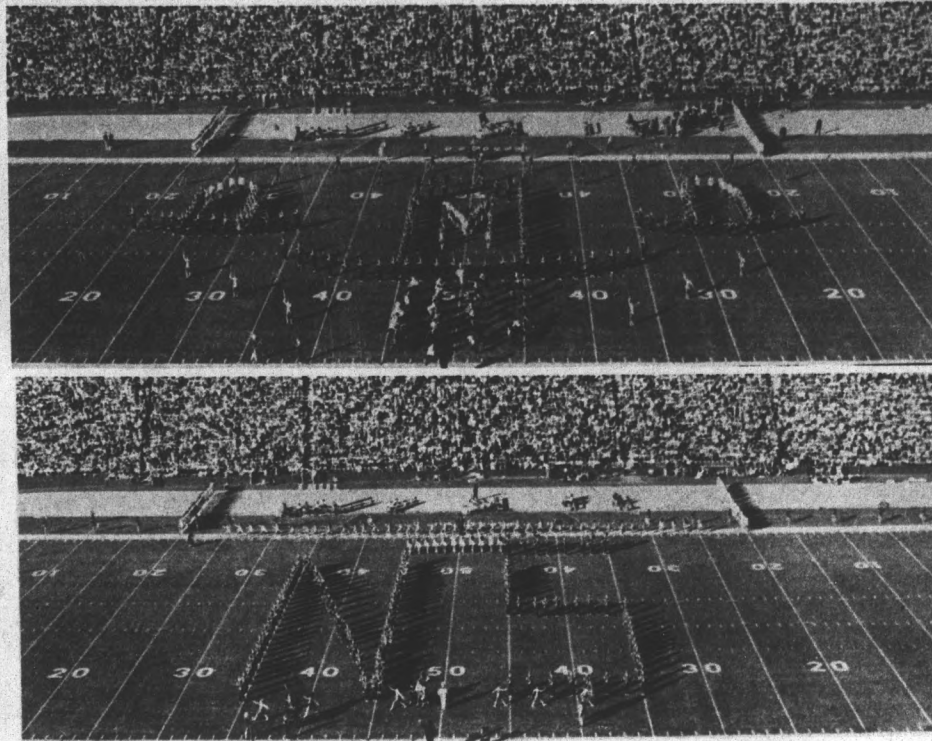
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MARTINEZ HEADS PARENTS GROUP

PORTERVILLE — Fernando Martinez, of Bakersfield, has been elected president of the Porterville State Hospital Parents' Group. Other officers are: Howard Revels of San Jose, executive vice president; Ethel Robinson of Ridgecrest, recording secretary; Marian Hadley of Ventura, corresponding secretary; Lola Aborn of North Hollywood,

receptionist; Mary Kellum of Porterville, treasurer.

District vice presidents are: Elaine Peters of Sunnyvale, Barbara Siemons of Mountain View, Bob Graham of Salinas, Al Bishop of Camarillo, Jean Duff of San Fernando Valley, Carol Ferriera of Stockton, Pat and Jim Holderman of Fresno, and Lily Martinez of Bakersfield.

MURAL PAINTING AT HOSPITAL STARTS DEC. 7

PORTERVILLE — Judges for annual Porterville State Hospital Christmas Mural contest between art students at Porterville and Monache High schools will be: Earl E. Smith, Porterville City councilman; Richard Parker, assistant superintendent of Business Services at Porterville Public school; George Tanimoto, president of the Porterville Art association and teacher at the hospital; Mrs. Ruthanna Penny,

retired nursing consultant at the hospital; and Dr. James T. Shelton, the hospital's medical director.

Mural painting will start on December 7 and be completed by December 16; students who

participate will be invited to the Hospital's General Employees' meeting on Thursday, December 19, at 2:00 p.m., when winners of the contest will be announced and presented with trophies and certificates.

NICHOLS ENLISTS IN AIR FORCE

PORTERVILLE — Gerald E. Nichols, a 1973 graduate of Porterville High school, has enlisted in the U.S. Air Force as an aircraft maintenance mechanic. He will take basic training at Lackland Air Force base, San Antonio, Texas, then attend technical school.

SPORTS BANQUET

PORTERVILLE — Participants in football, cross country, water polo and girls' volleyball will be honored at Monache's Fall Sports banquet, Monday, December 2, 6:30 p.m. in the Monache Campus Center.

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National Team Will Check School Busses

PORTERVILLE — A team of school bus safety researchers will be inspecting Porterville Public School buses on December 10.

Transportation Superintendent Casey DeVries states that the research team, representing Applied Science Associates, Incorporated, from Valencia, Pennsylvania, is conducting the ten-state safety inspection of school buses under a Federal grant from the U.S. Department of Transportation. The team will be visiting nine other California public school

transportation systems besides Porterville, and then ten systems in nine other states.

Purpose of the study, DeVries says, is primarily to discover manufacturing or basic design weaknesses that can best be pointed out by personnel directly involved in servicing and maintenance of school buses.

The team will be looking for evidence of improper choice of materials, inadequate or inappropriate design, or poor workmanship.

Following completion of the testing in February, 1975, research representatives will report their findings to the Office of Defects Investigation - where possible action could be taken in recall campaigns, revision of certain federal standards that relate to school buses, adoption of new standards, maintenance bulletins to bus operators, or bulletins to manufacturers.

Porterville Public schools currently have 38 school buses in daily operation.



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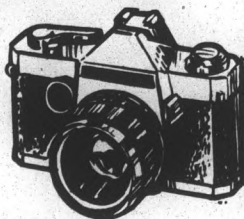
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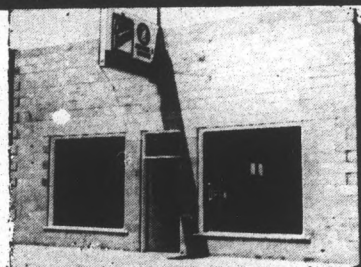
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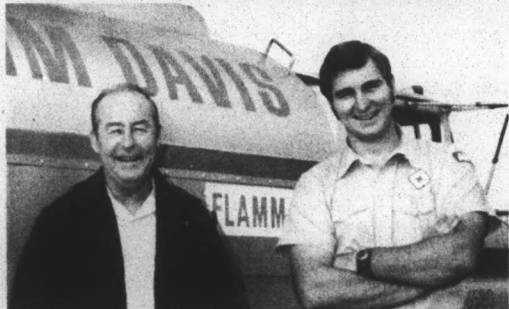
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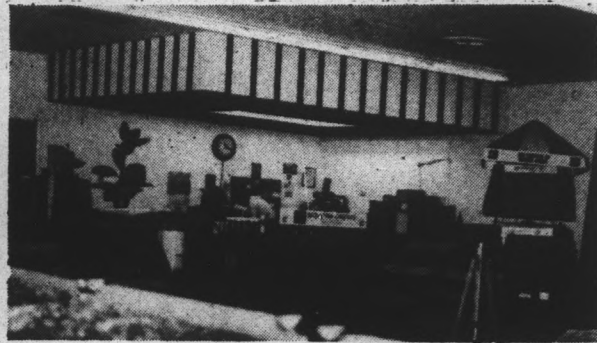
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SCRANTON SPEAKS AT WESTFIELD

WESTFIELD — Brent Scranton, president of the Plano 4-H club, told of the 4-H citizenship conference that he recently attended in Washington D.C. at November meeting of the Westfield 4-H club.

In business of the evening, Kenny Roberts and Pam Lambott were named chairman of the club's Christmas Caroling committee and Kris Murdock and Danny Short, chairman of a Snow Party committee.

Kary Murdock reported on plans for a "Christmas family," with each member to bring fifty cents to the next meeting for

this project.

Richard Beeman reported on the Porterville Veterans' Day parade; project reports were given by Gina Sheldon, Cheryl Edes, Debbie Zenz, Barbara Jackson, Pam Lambott and David York.

A film was shown on presentation of a demonstration; games and refreshments concluded the evening.

Presiding at the meeting was President Mike Landeros; flag salute was led by Richard Beeman and 4-H pledge by Jane Landeros; minutes were read by Secretary Debbie Zenz;

PLANO 4-H CLUB ATTENDS CHAPEL SERVICE AT GOOD SHEPHERD HOME

PLANO — Plano 4-H Club members attended the Sunday morning chapel service of Good Shepherd Lutheran Home of Terra Bella, a home and school for the mentally retarded.

Service was conducted by Fred Sievert, and residents of the home served as ushers and candle lighters.

After the service, Bill Hoehne took the Plano group on a tour of Good Shepherd home, the tour including the classrooms, multi-purpose room, craft shop, wood shop, sewing room, play

yard and swimming pool.

The 4-H'ers were particularly impressed with the many craft projects such as: Ceramic animals, vases, book ends, wind chimes, dishes, and chess sets. They also saw the Christmas card production area where Christmas cards are made for sale to those people who want to support the work of Good Shepherd.

Those in attendance were: Jay and Jeff Faure; Tim, Laura and John Buckley; Walter and Paula Doyel; Katherine and

Richard Homer; Steven and Marta Knapp; Abel and Rolando Longerie; Doug Scheer; Barry and Sherri Golden; Jamie Wilson; Glen Peters; Harold Kempher; Mrs. Susan Buckley; Mrs. Betty Golden; Mrs. Marietta Homer; Mrs. Donald Kempher; and Mrs. Verna Scheer.

Arrangements for the day were made by Walter Doyel and Suzie Golden.

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OUR TOWN

BY RUTH LOYD

My first Thanksgiving in OUR TOWN was about thirty years ago. My Mother-in-law thought my education had been sadly neglected. I didn't know how to render a hog, never had tasted mountain oysters, couldn't make my own soap, didn't enjoy taking mice out of traps, and had never cleaned a turkey. She decided it was about time I learned. We went to a friend's turkey ranch, where they had about a million turkeys milling around, and Mom waded into the gobbling mess and pointed out the turkey she wanted. The friend had a stick with a hook on the end, and he hooked one

turkey by the leg, and dragged the flapping, noisy bird toward Mom. She grabbed it, and felt all through the feathers, then put it down in preference to another one. She did this about five times, while I was standing waist deep in the dumb birds. She finally decided on one special bird, and the friend stuck a kind of ice pick into its throat, and we went home with the turkey in Mom's lap. About this time, I wasn't too excited about being educated. We got the bird home, and Mom made me pluck it. Turkeys have lots of feathers, and I had to pluck out each little pin feather, and Mom watched

me and laughed. Then the fun part. Open up the thing to see what was inside. I dragged all the stuff out and Mom proceeded to tell me what each weird part did for the life of the turkey. I really wasn't interested in what the bird had had for his last dinner, but Mom thought I should know. So she showed me, and was amazed at my ignorance. Now I know, and I don't care. I like the nice clean turkey GEORGE DON hands to me over the counter, and I like the smell of turkey cooking, and the delicious leftovers. I'm not too excited about a turkey on the hoof.

This year, the LOYD family will gather at the beautiful new home of RAY and SALLY PERKINSON. Thanksgiving in a home always seems special. CHARLOTTE CARPENTER, MELBA JEAN RAUBER, MILLIE LOYD and I had a meeting to decide who would bring what. Now that I know all about turkeys, I get to cook one. MELBA JEAN will cook the other one. MILLIE is a famous pie baker, and a great gravy maker. CHARLOTTE has a new recipe for mashed potatoes, which can be frozen beforehand, and we allotted the rest of the goodies to the rest of the family. Fortunately OUR FAMILY is loaded with good cooks. BUD RAUBER and JOHN WEBB LOYD will do the carving, we hope. They are the only ones who can stand the friendly kibitzing from the rest of the amateurs. Our son DICK carved a turkey once, and I don't think anything could induce him to try it again. About twenty-nine will sit down for dinner, and thank goodness SALLY'S house is nice and large. It is always interesting to see and hear about what everyone has been doing the past year. Young people married, or going to college. Old people getting older, and children at their special table getting to know each other. OUR FAMILY has a lot to be thankful for, and I'm grateful to be part of it.

Happiness is having had an old-fashioned mother-in-law.

Jack Smith's View

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moments of our history. We saw that trio of tattered patriots with life and drum, symbolic of the spirit of '76. Then a band of Pilgrims, followed by half-naked Indians, came out to sing a hymn of Thanksgiving, though from where we sat I couldn't tell whether the Indians were singing along or not.

Next the loudspeaker boomed out the famed inscription on the Statue of Liberty—"Give me your tired, your poor . . ."—and people dressed in European folk costumes streamed out to symbolize the Melting Pot of America.

"We hold these truths to be self-evident," said the Godlike voice over the loudspeaker, and half a dozen men in velvet and ruffles and white wigs came out to sign the Declaration of Independence as the band played "My Country 'Tis of Thee."

Then came the Civil War—"the Great American Tragedy"—which was depicted with admirable economy. A rifleman and a color bearer in blue moved toward their opposites in gray, the riflemen in a bellicose crouch; but just before they must either bump into each other or fight, peace was declared, the boys threw their arms around each other, and the Gettysburg Address broke out over the loudspeaker.

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Massed in white shirts and black pants, the Barber Shop Singers of America sang "America the Beautiful," and then 76 trombone players in the band costumes of assorted high schools played our great unwarlike anthem, "76 Trombones," while the Pilgrims, the immigrants and the Indians marched together, and 100 girls in orange and white moved forward in one long sweeping wave, each girl bearing a large American Flag.

Seagulls dipped their wings; a plane flew over dragging a message—WEAR MICKEY MOUSE TIES. Low in the east, pale and benign, hung the American moon.

I wished my French daughter-in-law's sister had been there. She might have realized that we Americans can be just as chauvinistic as the French, when we have a mind to.

All these events were sandwiched in between the first and second halves of a game of football, a peculiarly American institution, in which the Los Angeles Rams defeated the Minnesota Vikings, 20-17.

The ending was the greatest two minutes in American history since Francis Scott Key saw that the Flag was still there. On first and goal at the 8-yard-line, with the Rams trailing 13-17 and time running out, James Harris lobbed one to Jack Snow in the end zone to win the game and preserve the faith.

I was proud to be an American.

No Danger Of Running Out Of Land

WASHINGTON — America is in no immediate danger of running out of farmland, say

USDA economists, even though thousands of acres are shifted to other uses each year.

Assuming continued gains in production per acre of land farmed and a modest increase in the total U.S. population, the economists project a need to harvest 292 million crop acres in 1980 and 272 million in 2000.

However, these projections do not take into account the sharp rise in exports experienced in the past two years. If exports stay high, harvested acreage needs will rise to about 304 million in 1980 and 309 in 2000.

But even at the highest level, there is more than enough land to ensure all domestic food and fiber needs and meet other nonagricultural uses, too, at least into the next century.

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VISALIA — Eligible homeowners who failed to file for homeowner's tax exemption may still file until December 2. Questions of eligibility should be checked with the County Assessor's office in Visalia.

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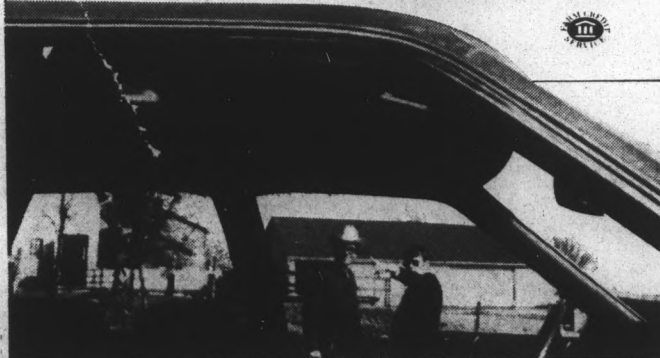
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This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Tulare County on November 19, 1974.

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct copy of the original on file in my office.

JAY C. BAYLESS, County Clerk
By Ruth Davidson, Deputy

EXPIRES DEC. 31, 1979
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

The following persons are doing business as:

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1. **STEPHEN JOHNSON**
Rt. 2, Box 235A
Springville, Ca. 93265

2. **JAY W. DUGGER**
P.O. Box 235
Springville, Ca. 93265

This business is conducted by a General Partnership.

Signed Jay W. Dugger,
Stephen Johnson.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Tulare County on November 6, 1974.

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct copy of the original on file in my office.

JAY C. BAYLESS, County Clerk
By Genevieve Jepson, Deputy

EXPIRES 12-31-79
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

SUPERIOR COURT
OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF TULARE

No. 23756

Estate of

O.W. PETERSON, also known as OLE W. PETERSON, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the creditors of the above named decedent that all persons having claims against the said decedent are required to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the clerk of the above entitled court, or to present them, with the necessary vouchers, to the undersigned at 141 East Mill Ave., Porterville, California 93257, which is the place of business of the undersigned in all matters pertaining to the estate of said decedent, within four months after the first publication of this notice.

Dated November 2, 1974.

CARL W. PETERSON
Executor of the Will of the above named decedent

Hubler, Burford, Moran & Quirk
Attorneys at Law

141 East Mill Avenue
Porterville, California 93257

Telephone: (209) 784-5064

Attorneys for Executor

First publication: November 14, 1974.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

SUPERIOR COURT
OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF TULARE

No. 23694

Estate of

TILLIE M. SLAUGHTER, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the creditors of the above named decedent that all persons having claims against the said decedent are required to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the clerk of the above entitled court, or to present them, with the necessary vouchers, to the undersigned at 141 East Mill Ave., Porterville, California, which is the place of business of the undersigned in all matters pertaining to the estate of said decedent, within four months after the first publication of this notice.

Dated October 24, 1974.

MARIE BROWNING
MARIETTA HOMER
Executrices of the Will of the above named decedent

Hubler, Burford, Moran & Quirk
Attorneys at Law

141 East Mill Avenue
Porterville, California 93257

Telephone: (209) 784-5064

Attorneys for Executrices

First publication: October 31, 1974.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

SUPERIOR COURT
OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF TULARE

No. 23767

Estate of

BLANCHE S. DEPEW, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the creditors of the above named decedent that all persons having claims against the said decedent are required to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the clerk of the above entitled court, or to present them, with the necessary vouchers, to the undersigned at the law office of Hubler, Burford, Moran & Quirk, 141 East Mill Ave., Porterville, CA 93257, which is the place of business of the undersigned in all matters pertaining to the estate of said decedent, within four months after the first publication of this notice.

Dated November 18, 1974.

TOM C. JOHNSON
Executor of the Will of the above named decedent

Hubler, Burford, Moran & Quirk
Attorneys at Law

141 East Mill Avenue
Porterville, CA 93257

Telephone: (209) 784-5064

Attorneys for Executor

First publication: November 21, 1974.

n21,28,d5,12,19

PHEASANTS

SACRAMENTO — Reports from 10 public hunting areas managed by the California Department of Fish and Game, show that 5,616 hunters took 2,568 pheasants on opening weekend of the pheasant season — the best opening in recent years.



ANTONIO ROSA, second from left, and Belen Hurtado, second from right, were honored

Saturday night as 1974 Guadalupe Man and Woman of the Year at annual Guadalupe Mission dinner dance at the Terra Bella Veterans' building. Presenting the awards were Ralph Cordova, left, 1973 Man of the Year, and Ricarda Gonzales, 1973 Woman of the Year. Master of ceremonies at the dinner was John Balderama; invocation, and brief remarks, were given by Msgr. Harry Eggert, pastor of St. Anne's Catholic church. Also speaking was Father Joseph Balke, former St. Anne's pastor, who is now in Exeter. (Recorder photo)

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The Farm Tribune BILLBOARD

NOVEMBER

28 - Thanksgiving

DECEMBER

1 - Mt. Whitney Area BSA Dinner, Lindsay Memorial Bldg.

2 - Annual Meeting, Pioneer Water Co., Porterville City Hall

2 - Monache Sports Banquet

5-6-7 - "Christmas Carol," Memorial Auditorium

7 - Children's Christmas Parade, Downtown Porterville

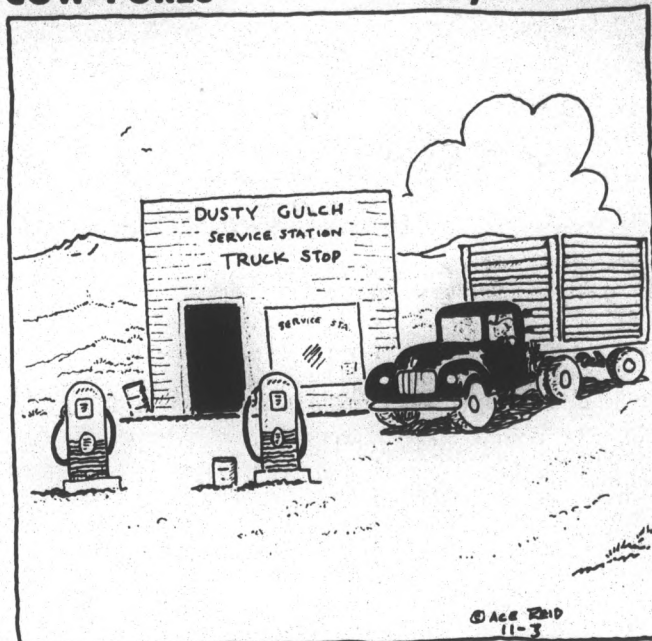
ENGINE TESTS

SACRAMENTO — Vehicles with 12-cylinder engines or rotary engines no longer will be tested for exhaust emission pollutants by California Highway Patrol roadside inspection teams. Testing of exhaust emissions of rotary and 12-cylinder engines will be withheld until appropriate standards are developed.

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By Ace Reid



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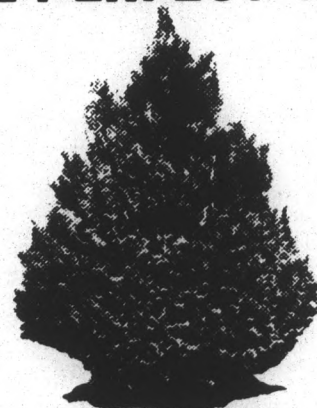
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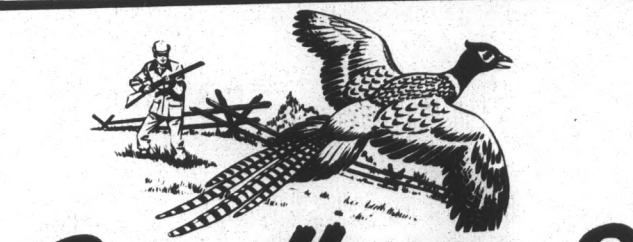
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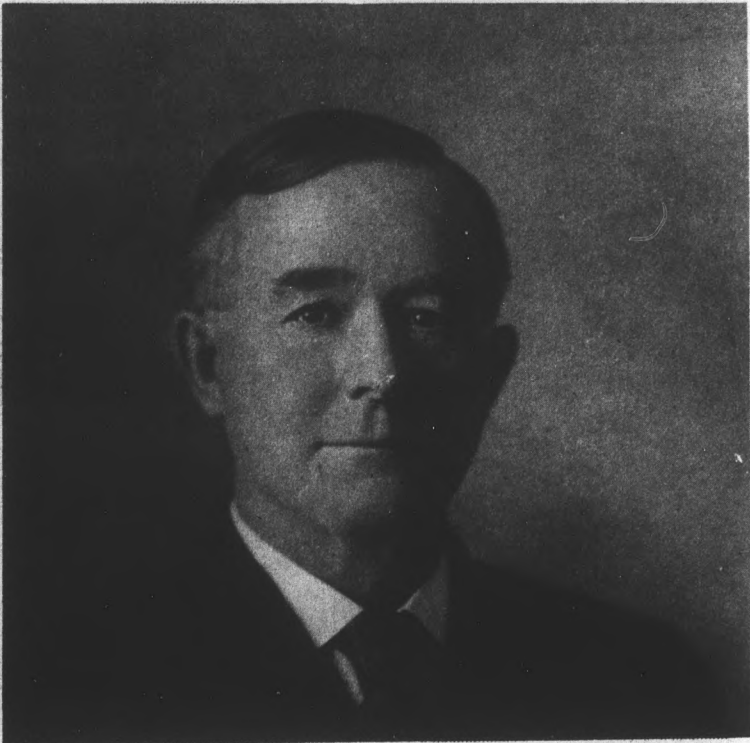
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PIONEER MEETING

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the cost of piping and maintenance along Henderson avenue in return for use of this section of Pioneer pipeline for emergency flood water control during severe winter storms.

Panther Band Show

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Barbershop singers who, in the Thanksgiving scene, filled the stadium with barbershop harmony in their rendition of "America The Beautiful."

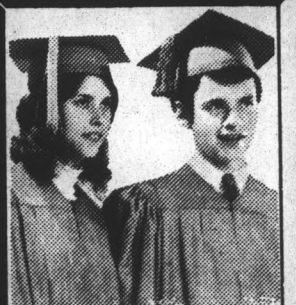
Question prior to the band's performance was whether or not the notoriously critical Los Angeles football crowd would accept a patriotic show as a preview of America's Bicentennial. Answer to the question: "You bet they did."

There was less crowd noise, less movement in the stands than we have ever observed during a Coliseum show. And there was applause at several points during the performance. Then, when those trombones came on, the crowd loved it. And there was real applause as the band and the cast left the field.

Perhaps, sometime, we will try to write a comprehensive story on what it takes to produce a big-time, halftime show. But as of now we'll just point out that a tremendous amount of community cooperation is necessary: Charise Shanes worked with the Pantherette's Drill team; Martha Broderson brought yell leaders into the show; Diane Wilson had a select group of her Porterville Twirlerettes working a show routine, Larry Brumley's Madrigal Singers, plus about 50 other people, did the Pilgrim church scene, the Hogan Mexican Dancers did an excellent, colorful routine, Mac Williams got the Barbershop Singers together - from Porterville, Lindsay, Fresno and southern California, Bob Bennett did his always excellent job of liaison with the Rams organization, and our personal pitch was to help Buck with the script and casting, and to announce the show in the Coliseum.

And some kind of great recognition should go to parents of Panther band members and parents of all the other high school young people in the show. Without their cooperation, there would be no show.

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